

How to unlock your Mio Cx10

That method is easy and secure. Only a few minutes are necessary to unlock your device. At the end of the process, you will find a Win CE desktop with some applications, games and tools already installed.

In case of problem, you will be able to reset your device by a simple "Hard Reset".

Before you start

- 1 - Unzip **Unlock_Mio_Cx10_v4.zip** in a folder of your PC.
- 2 - Install Mio Transfer from Mio DVD. Then, in **C:\Program Files\Mio DigiWalker** folder, replace file **Mio transfer.exe** by the file provided in the zip archive. That file is called "Mio Transfer Hack".

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- 3 - Connect your Cx10 device to the USB port of your PC. Launch Mio Transfer Hack.
- 4 - Copy **ppath_x10.txt** file (depending of your device C510 or C710) in **\Windows** folder of the Mio. Rename that file to **ppath.txt**.

Copy files **cecmd.exe**, **Miotools.exe** and **Unlock Mio Cx10.cab** in **\Temp** folder of the Mio. You should see that:



In case of synchronization problem with **Unlock Mio Cx10.cab** file, proceed like that:

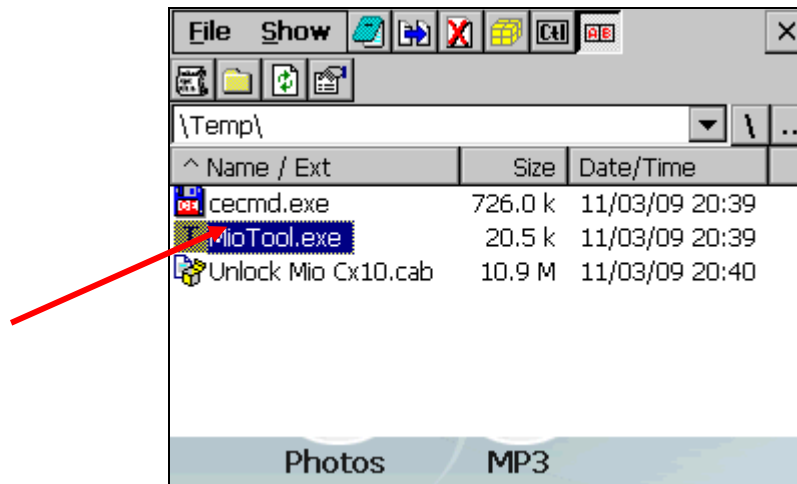
- Create a temporary folder, for example **\Temp** on **\My Flash Disk** or on the **SD card** if you have one (recommended),
- Copy files **Miotools.exe** and **Unlock Mio Cx10.cab** in that folder. cecmd.exe file must stay in internal folder **\Temp** of the Mio.

Notice: Don't matter with the .cab size. The .cab size is varying depending of the used method to unlock the device and the documentation is the same.

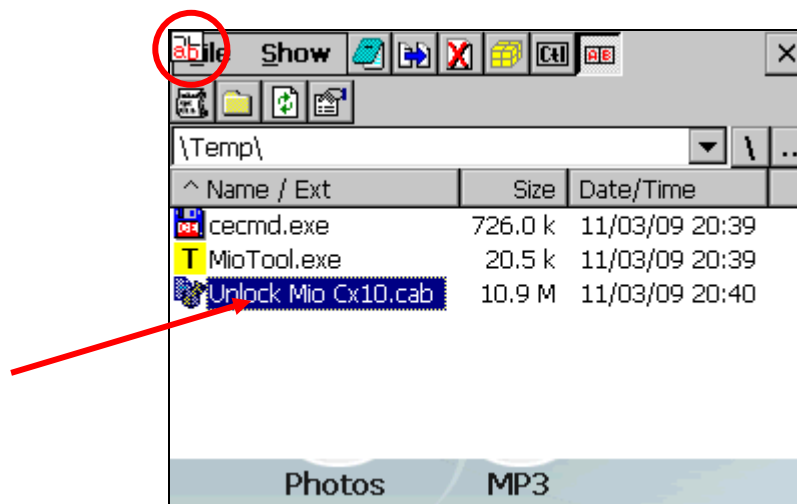
5 - Do a **Soft Reset**.

6 - After restart, you will obtain the normal screen of your GPS. Click on « **Contacts** » button.

- You will obtain explorer screen. Go in **\Temp** folder or the folder you created and contains the **Unlock Mio Cx10.cab** file:



- Launch **Miotool.exe**. This program will be necessary to activate the keyboard. You should obtain a little square in the top left corner of the screen:



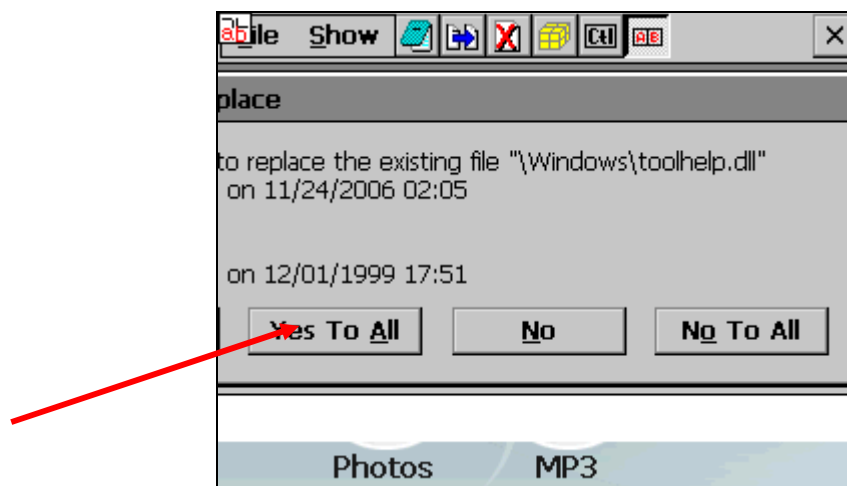
- Launch **Unlock Mio Cx10.cab** file.



- Click on the little square at the top left corner to activate the keyboard:



- Accept installation by clicking « Enter » after activating installation windows by clicking the top of that window.



- Accept replacement of files by clicking on « Yes To All ».

7 - Do a **Soft Reset** (Little hole, near USB connector)

Usage

After restart of your Mio device, you will have a Windows CE 4.2 desktop looking like that:



Applications installed during the process:

1°) Programs:

- Notepad,
- A calculator,
- A picture editor (Paint),
- Un calendar,
- A Divx player (TCPMP),
- A picture viewer (GQe),
- Viewers for Word, Excel, Powerpoint and pdf files.
- Un spreadsheet (SpreadCE).

2°) Tools:

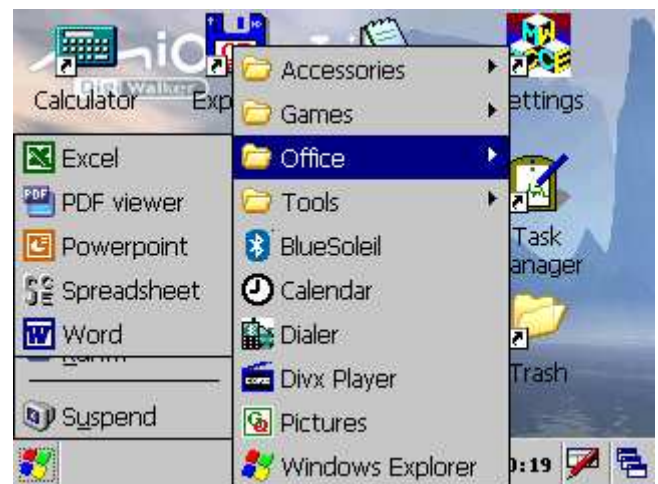
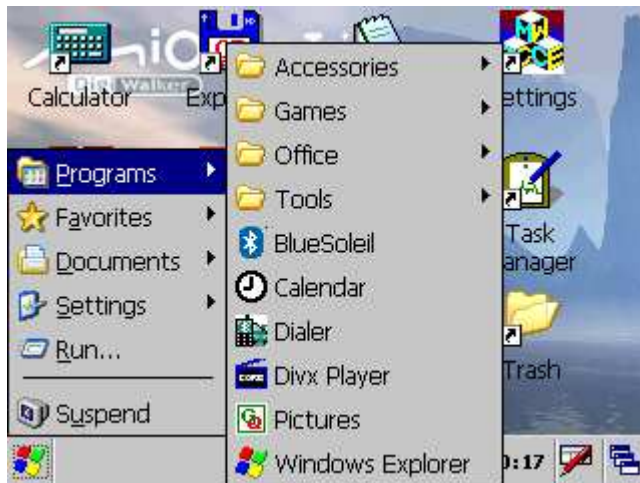
- Tasks Manager,
- Sound icon in the taskbar,
- Explorer (Total Commander),
- Miotool,
- Screen rotate (necessary for some games),
- Regedit,
- Soft Reset tool,
- Hard Reset tool,
- Activ Sync shortcut.

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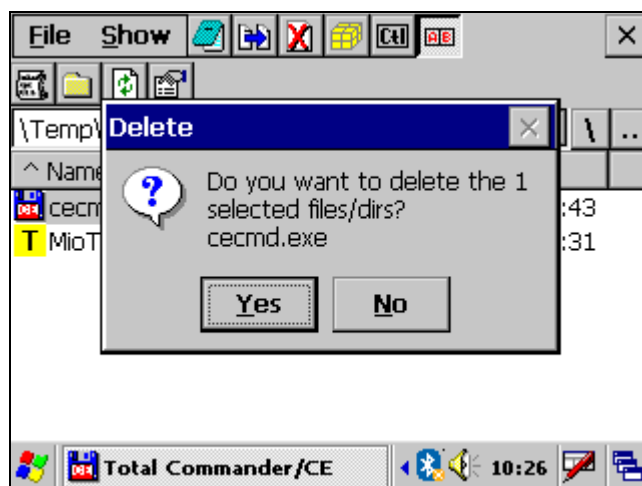
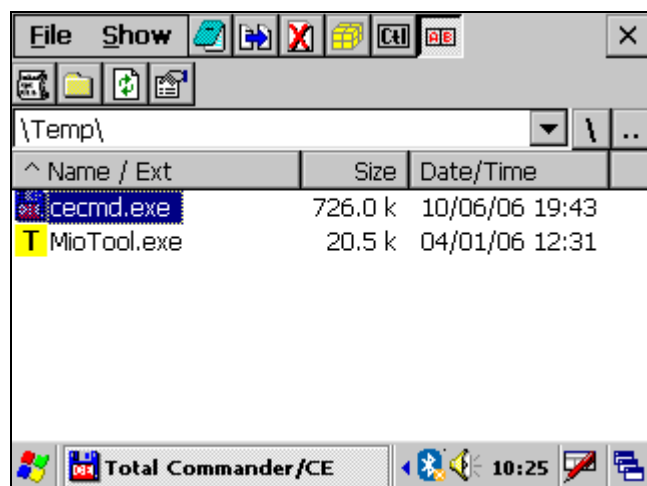
- Bricks,
- Gamebox (several little games),
- Mahjongg,
- Solitaire,
- Sudoku.

4°) Automatic launch at startup of **Mapreceiver.exe** which will be necessary to use Mio Transfer or Mio Transfer Hack son your unlocked Cx10.

5°) Necessary shortcuts on the desktop and in the « Start Menu » as shown bellow:



Now, you can cleanup **\Temp** folder of your device:



Explanations seem to be long, but the process is really very short.

A simple Hard Reset will put your Cx10 device to its initial state.

Now, you can use your GPS as a real Pocket PC. If you want, you can install many other applications.

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